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Sub. / Request to extend the replay period time

Dear Sir,

Since I have received your latest letter, which was dated on 08/06 /03 ; on 29 Oct..  
Meaning it has been delayed for more than 2 months in US post, as this is checked by the  
Swiss post.

However it seems to be strange case, but it is happened while holding a mail stamp of NY..!  
Would you please recommend to check with US mail about why such a delay happened.

Anyway such a delay is really effecting the preparation to reply on the requirements  
mentioned in your letter .

This is an appeal to reconsider the mailing date to be on October for the purpose of the  
"reply period" as a sufficient time since it wasn't my fault for the delaying of this letter.

Thanks and best regards ...

Truly yours

Shirwan AL PASHA AL BAHDAINI

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